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**EEC READY TO PARTICIPATE IN UNCTAD CONFERENCE
ON COMMON FUND.**

On March 8 the Council of Ministers of the European Communities agreed on a common position for the UNCTAD Conference on a Common Fund, at Geneva.

It was formally agreed that no Member State could split from the Community position in Geneva, unless difficulties arise which could not be surmounted by new deliberations of the Council of Ministers.

The mandate given to the EEC representatives at Geneva is a considerable step forward from the Nairobi Conference, in the cohesion of the Nine.